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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted to respectfully request withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 10, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of the October 10, 2001 Notice is attached.

The Notice indicates that Applicants failed to reply to the Office's letter mailed August 29, 2000, and that a proposed reply was received on February 13, 2001, but it did not constitute a proper reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113(a) to the Final Rejection.

Attached hereto is a copy of the reply filed by facsimile on June 25, 2001, including the facsimile confirmation report. In view of the attached, Applicants' undersigned attorney notes that the Notice of Abandonment was erroneously issued. Withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment and continued examination of the subject application are respectfully requested.

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Applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorizes the
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with the filing of this document to **Deposit Account No. 50-1189**, referencing billing no. 239807033. However, the Assistant Commissioner is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: Oct. 25, 20

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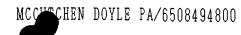
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Michele Todd Wasmuth

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